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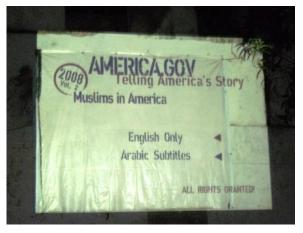
## Video Screening "Muslims in America – Telling the American Stories" in Lamu

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The Public Affairs Section in collaboration with Lamu American Corner showed "Islam in America" documentary to 250 people in Lamu. These are 9 video shorts, up to 3 minutes each focusing on a wide variety of topics from Ramadhan in America, Religious education in America and the Muslim community in Dearborn Michigan.

Last week you tube video clip "Innocence of Muslims" led to protest by Muslims around the world". The video therefore is aimed at answering questions about Islam in America. The program helped post achieve its objective of promoting mutual understanding between USG and local organizations, youth engagement, countering violent behavior amongst youth in Kenya, respect for freedom of religion and religious tolerance among diverse groups.





Part of the audience during the screening of Muslim in America Documentary in Lamu